

## Space Research Fund 2018 Launch Event Agenda

**Time:** 7<sup>th</sup> May 2018, 0845-1215hrs

**Location:** MCST, Villa Bighi, Kalkara, KKR1320

0845-0915      Arrival and welcome coffee

### 0915-0930      **Launch of the Space Research Fund Programme**

#### **Welcome Address**

*Dr. Jeffrey Pullicino Orlando*

*Executive Chairman, Malta Council for Science and Technology*

#### **Keynote Speech**

*Hon. Silvio Schembri*

*Parliamentary Secretary for Financial Services, Digital Economy and Innovation, OPM*

### 0930-1015      **Overview of the Programme**

Background, introduction to thematic areas, call structure and rules for participation

*Stephen Grixti, Senior Executive, Space Initiatives, MCST*

1015-1030      Q&A

### 1030-1115      **Technical presentation on Earth Observation and data acquisition**

*Gordon Campbell, Head of Industry Office, European Space Agency*

1115-1130      Q&A

1130-1215      **Lunch**

### 1215-1700      **Pre-registered one-to-one consultation with technical experts**

20-minute consultation sessions